BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 95-536-C - ORDER NO. 97-768

SEPTEMBER 5, 1997

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IN RE: Application of AmeriConnect, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for Authority to Provide Resold Intrastate Interexchange Tele-communications Services within the State of South Carolina.

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") on the request of AmeriConnect, Inc. ("AmeriConnect") to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold intrastate interexchange carrier services in South Carolina. According to AmeriConnect's request, AmeriConnect is merging with Phoenix Network, Inc. ("Phoenix"), which has authority to provide resold intrastate interexchange services in South Carolina. Therefore, AmeriConnect requests that its Certificate be cancelled.

Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission believes that cancellation of AmeriConnect's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity is in order. The Commission hereby grants the request to cancel the Certificate, and the Certificate is hereby cancelled.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman Buller

ATTEST:

Executive Director

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